PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SAWATZKI et al.

Attention:

PCT BOX MISSING PARTS

Serial No.:

09/719,168

Filed: December 13, 2000

For:

DNA SEQUENCES WHICH CODE A GLUCOSE-TRANSLOCATOR,

PLASMIDS, BACTERIA, YEASTS AND PLANTS CONTAINING

THIS TRANSLOCATOR

<u>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants request that the period for response to the outstanding official action in this case be extend pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for ONE (1) month to July 30, 2001.

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17(a) for a one month extension of time is \$55.00 and a check in this amount is submitted herewith. Small entity status has been established. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension to Deposit Account No. 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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